

Lloyd's Register of Shipping,

50, Yamashita-cho, Naka-ku,
(P.O. Box No. 48),

Yokohama, 11th October, 1940.

Yours sincerely,

R. J. Sladden, Esqr.,
WOKINGHAM.

Dear Mr Sladden, "NONAI MARU" (Case 52/40)

With reference to my letter to you of 18th ultimo regarding the proposed damage repairs to this ship, I have just had a telephone message from the Owners' Superintendent here advising me that it has been decided (by London Headquarters) to dispose of her, if possible, as she lies.

Whether she will be repaired and recommissioned for service, I don't yet know, but I shouldn't be surprised if she is, as I understand stranger repairs have been carried out here on less hopeful material. I shall keep in touch with her present Owners and advise you again if and when a sale has been effected and, if possible the proposed intentions of the buyers regarding the ship.

So far as one can see at the moment, this rules out the immediate possibility of learning further about the "Fumi Maru No.2", but we have this enquiry continually before us and shall advise you so soon as we can obtain any

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information necessary for the Register Book.

Again hoping all is well with you, yours,
and our colleagues.

With kindest regards and best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

D. Hunter.



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